

# Central Registry Reform



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The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) must now classify a confirmed case of methamphetamine production, confirmed serious abuse or neglect, confirmed sexual abuse or confirmed sexual exploitation as a central registry case.

On November 1, work began to expunge previous central registry records that did not meet the new criteria. This work is being done automatically or through an extended manual case read process.

To verify if you are on central registry, you can request a clearance through your local county office by completing a DHS-1929, Central Registry Clearance Request, which can be found on the MDHHS website in the [Forms and Publications section](#).

## REQUESTING REVIEW

If following a clearance, you believe your central registry record should be expunged due to the changes in Child Protection Law, you may request a review of that record.

To request review or expungement of a central registry record:

- Contact your local county office and complete a written request for expungement.
- A review of the record will be completed to determine appropriate action.
- Notification of the action will be provided to you.

Contact information for each county office is located on the DHS-1929 form and can be searched on the [MDHHS website](#).